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Consideration of each of the listed references by the Examiner is respectfully requested. Applicant also respectfully requests that an initialed copy of Form PTO-1449 indicating such consideration be returned with the next Official Action, as set forth in MPEP 609.

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WO 02/48065 is a Non-English reference (French). An English-language abstract for this reference is provided. Also provided is a copy of U.S. Patent Application Publication US 2005/0123772, which corresponds to WO 02/48065.

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The Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after the mailing date of the first Office action on the merits, but before the mailing date of either (1) a final action under § 1.113; or (2) a notice of allowance under § 1.311, whichever occurs first. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any filing fees required to Deposit Account No. 061910.

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